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McGREGOR W. SCOTT 1 United States Attorney KENNETH J. MELIKIAN Assistant U.S. Attorney 501 I Street, Suite 10-100 3 Sacramento, Ca. 95814 4 Telephone: (916) 554-2700 5 6 7 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE 8 9 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, CR. NO. S-05-106 GEB 11 Plaintiff, 12 STIPULATION; ORDER 13 V. CAROLYN WILLIAMS, 14 15 Defendant. 16 Defendant Carolyn Williams, through Krista Hart, Attorney At 17 Law, and the United States of America, through Assistant U.S. 18 Attorney Kenneth J. Melikian, agree to vacate the status 19 20 conference scheduled for April 25, 2008. The parties further stipulate that a status conference be placed on the court's 21 May 9, 2008, calendar. 22 23 The parties are involved in negotiations to resolve this 24 case. The government has presented the defendant with a formal 25 offer, and the defendant presented the government with a counter-26 The government recently responded to the defendant's

counter-offer, and the parties are continuing to attempt to work

out details that will be acceptable to both sides. It is

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anticipated that, if given more time, the parties will be able to 1 2 avoid a trial by settling this case. Accordingly, the parties request that the status conference 3 in this case be continued to May 9, 2008. All parties 4 5 that time should be excluded through May 9, 2008, from 6 computation under the Speedy Trial Act pursuant to local code T4 7 (18 U.S.C.  $\S$  3161(h)(8)(B)(iv)) in order to afford the defendant 8 reasonable time to prepare her case. DATED: April 22, 2008 Respectfully submitted, 9 McGREGOR W. SCOTT 10 United States Attorney 11 12 By:/s/ Kenneth J. Melikian 13 KENNETH J. MELIKIAN Assistant U.S. Attorney 14 15 DATED: April 22, 2008 /s/ Kenneth J. Melikian KRISTA HART 16 Attorney for Defendant Carolyn Williams 17 (Signed by Kenneth J. Melikian per authorization by Krista 18 Hart) 19 20 21 IT IS SO ORDERED. 22 23 Dated: April 23, 2008 24 25 CARLAND E. United States District Judge 26

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